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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Amendment

1. The reply filed on 23 December 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Applicant needs to submit a full amendment containing:

Specification:

- provide paragraph for entries to specification

Claims:

- cancel claims 1 to 8
- amendment to claim 9
- cancel claims 10 to 17
- newly added claims 18 to 26

Remarks:

- applicants remarks
- drawing changes

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Lori L. Coletta whose telephone number is (703) 306-4614.

The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 6:30am-3:00pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Glenn Dayoan can be reached on (703) 308-3102. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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